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Application No. 09/831,18 )  
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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R.  
§1.56, applicants hereby submit the attached PTO Form-1449,  
listing references which the Patent Examiner is requested to  
consider and make of record in the above-identified  
application. Copies of the listed references are enclosed  
herewith. This submission is believed to be in full  
compliance with the requirements of 37 C.F.R. §1.98.


In the opinion of the undersigned, the foregoing  
references are the most pertinent of which the undersigned is  
aware. However, no representation is made or intended that  
more pertinent references do not exist.

It is believed that the subject matter claimed in the  
present application constitutes a significant advance in the art,

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as represented by the references discussed above, and is deserving of patent protection. Early and favorable consideration leading to prompt issuance of this application is earnestly solicited.

Respectfully submitted,  
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